

Round Rock, Texas, located just 15 miles north of downtown Austin, is one of the fastest growing and best managed municipalities in Texas. Round Rock has been ranked among America's Best Cities to Live by Money Magazine. In addition, the City has an award-winning park system and school district, and is one of the safest cities with a population over 100,000 in the U.S.

The City operates under a Council-Manager form of government. The City employs over 900 staff and its current overall budget is \$311.7 million. The Round Rock Fire Department is a professional, well-equipped, and highly trained municipal fire department. The RRFD responds to fires, Emergency Medical Service, and other emergency and non-emergency requests for service. RRFD employs 137 personnel, who operate out of seven fire stations on twelve fire units across a nearly 64 square mile response area. Currently, the City of Round Rock enjoys an ISO class rating of 2. The Department's current operating budget is just over \$16 million annually, which is managed through a line-item budget format, overlaid with internal performance measures. During FY2015, the RRFD responded to 9,922 total calls, of which 59% were EMS incidents.

Bachelor's degree and at least 10 years of local government fire service experience required. Master's degree preferred. Designation as a Chief Fire Officer, graduation from the National Fire Academy Executive Fire Officer program, and at least 5 years of experience as a Chief Fire Officer in a similar sized community, or as an Assistant Chief in a larger community, are highly desired qualifications. Must be an intermediate level firefighter certified by the TCFP or have the training, experience, and certification to achieve certification by the TCFP within 12 months of appointment. IFSAC or NPQB Certification as a Fire Officer III or IV is preferred. The new Fire Chief must possess all of the skills and training required of firefighters and must have a high degree of managerial talent and superior communication expertise. Knowledge of the budgetary process and local state laws relating to fire, EMS policies, and local and national fire codes is required.

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